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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/564,096

Applicants: Rosario LIZIO, et al.

Filing Date: May 2, 2006

For: MULTIPARTICLE PHARMACEUTICAL DOSAGE FORM
CONTAINING A MUCOADHESIVELY FORMULATED PEPTIDE
OR PROTEIN ACTIVE SUBSTANCES METHOD FOR
PRODUCING SAID PHARMACEUTICAL DOSAGE FORM

Group Art Unit: 1618

Examiner: Westerberg, N. M.

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In response to the final Office Action dated October 29, 2008, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.